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## **Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

- 1-20. (cancelled).
- 21. (presently amended) An activity practice device, comprising: a camera;
  - a housing having swingably hingeably attached first and second portions;
- a display on said first portion for displaying real-time images received by said camera, said display being located in a plane substantially parallel to a simulated activity playing surface; and

an upper surface on said second portion upon which a user may stand while making a swing, said upper surface being substantially coplanar with said simulated activity playing surface; and

a striking target located substantially directly above a portion of said display, said target adapted to receive a golf ball thereon, said target being placed at a location, said location being such that a user, when focusing on said ball during the course of making a proper golf swing, is able to simultaneously see said swing in said user's peripheral vision.

- 22-24. (cancelled)
- 25. (previously presented) The device of claim 21 wherein at least a portion of said display is covered by a transparent protective covering.

- 26. (previously presented) The device of claim 21 wherein the device is portable.
  - 27. (cancelled)
- 28. (previously presented) The device of claim 21 wherein one of said first and second members includes a handle.
- 29. (previously presented) The device of claim 21 wherein said second member includes markings which suggest foot placement.
- 30. (previously presented) The device of claim 21 wherein one of said first and second members includes a recess for containing said camera.
- 31. (new) A portable device used for practicing a sport, said sport including an action swinging an elongated member by gripping said elongated member at one end and striking a projectile with another end, said device, comprising:

a camera;

a first portion of said portable device <u>hingeably</u> connected to a second portion of said portable device, said first portion supporting a display, said display used for displaying real-time images received by said camera, said second portion including an upper surface upon which a user may stand while making a swing;

a target on said device at which a user swings, said target being placed at a location such that a user, when focusing on said target during the course of a swing, is able to peripherally observe said swing in real-time.

32. (new) The device of claim 31 wherein said upper surface upon which a user may stand while making a swing is substantially level with a simulated playing surface created immediately above said display.

## 33. (cancelled)

- 34. (previously presented) The device of claim 31 wherein one of said first and second portions include a recess for containing at least said camera.
- 35. (presently amended) A device for teaching an activity to a user, said activity including swinging an elongated member by gripping said elongated member at one end and striking a projectile with another end, said device comprising:

a camera:

a display <u>located in a first portion</u>; <u>said display</u> having a substantially flat viewing area, said display capable of presenting images received from said camera in real-time onto display enabling the user to simultaneously view themselves while engaging in said activity;

a projectile-receiving striking surface which is substantially parallel to and located above said flat viewing area enabling the user to hit said projectile off of said striking surface and then observe a projectile response to said activity via said display; and

a simulated playing surface located on a second portion, said simulated playing surface being substantially parallel to said viewing area and said striking surface.

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- 36. (previously presented) The device of claim 35 in which the substantially flat viewing area is embedded in a simulated sport playing surface.
  - 37. (cancelled)